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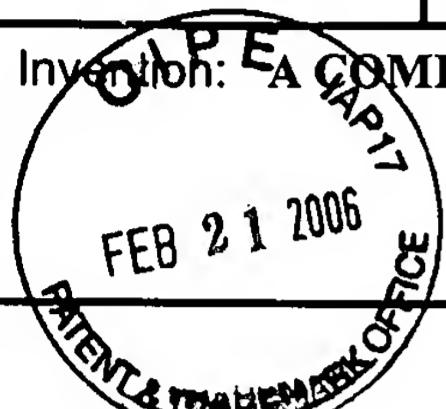
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42530-5700

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Invention: A COMPACT DRIVING UNIT FOR AN AUTOMATIC BANKNOTE RECEIVING AND STORING DEVICE



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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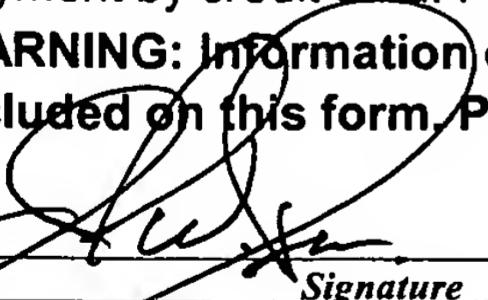
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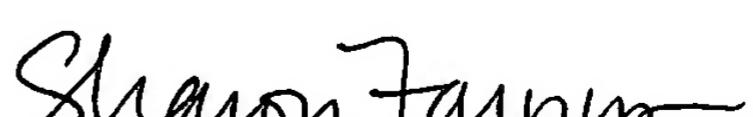
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action of November 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

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